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SUBJECT: PROTECTING POWER FOR US INTERESTS IN LAOS

REF: VIENTIANE 4527

WE CONCUR IN REFTTEL'S CONCLUSION THAT JAPAN WOULD BE THE
BEST CANDIDATE FOR PROTECTING POWER IF US IS FORCED TO
WITHDRAW EMBASSY FROM LAOS. WE BELIEVE HOWEVER THAT UK
WOULD BE WILLING TO ACCEPT THIS RESPONSIBILITY IF US
ASKED. ONLY CAVEAT HERE WOULD BE THAT WITHDRAWAL OF US
EMBASSY MIGHT WELL OCCUR IN CONTEXT OF OVERALL ANTI-
WESTERN ATMOSPHERE IN VIENTIANE THAT MIGHT ALSO REQUIRE
BRITISH TO CLOSE THEIR MISSION.

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